LISTEN UP.
THE KEY IS TO NOT HESITATE.
IF YOU MISS, KEEP GOING.
IT'LL BE A LOT WORSE IF YOU CUT HALFWAY THROUGH AND PULL THE KNIFE OUT.
HOLD THE KNIFE TIGHT, AIM FOR THE JOINT, AND FOLLOW THROUGH.
I'LL DO MY BEST TO HOLD STILL.
SQUEEZE
SQUEEZE!

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NOW...
CUT IT OFF.
DO IT.

C'MON, TONY!
YEAH
OH, HO! NICE!
YEAH
YEAH
CUT THAT BAD BOY OFF!

YEAH, HE'S A TOP-CLASS SOLDIER.
YEAH
YEAH
MAN, GOU IS REALLY SOMETHING ELSE, HUH?
YEAH

WHOO
SMILE

BUT... I, UMM...
YEAH
YEAH
WHAT NOW? HURRY UP, TONY.
YEAH!
DO IT, TONY!
TO-NY!
TO-NY!
TO-NY!
TO-NY!

SSSHHHHH
HEY!
ERR..
UHH...
I REALLY...
DON'T THINK THIS IS
RIGHT.
CAN'T WE JUST
LIKE...
NOT DO THIS?

TONYYYY!
SHH-
HUH?
JUST FUCKING DO IT!
B-BUT...
GOU...
MURMUR
MURMUR

DON'T SWEAT IT.
DO YOU KNOW HOW MANY PEOPLE'S ARMS I'VE HACKED OFF?
YEAH, EXACTLY!
C'MON, TONY!
YOU KNOW THAT'S HOW THINGS WORK OUT HERE.
STOP STALLING.
EITHER YOU CUT OFF MY ARM, OR THEY KILL YOU.
IT'S YOUR LIFE. YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN PROTECT IT.

CLENCH
TO-NY!
TO-NY!
TO-NY!
TO-NY!
AAAAAAAA
AAAAAAAA
AAAAAAAA
AHH!

CHOP
YOU FOOL.
TONY?!
?!

TONY!
SLAM

HOW MANY TIMES MUST YOU DISAPPOINT ME BEFORE YOU'RE SATISFIED?

I'VE NEVER FOUND
SUCH A MISERABLE FAILURE BEFORE.

TONY...

OBEY ORDERS.
THAT'S THE ONE IRONCLAD RULE OF SERVING IN AN ARMY.

YOU JUST BLEW YOUR LAST CHANCE.
THIS KIND OF DISOBEDIENCE IS PUNISHABLE BY **DEATH**.

YOU **MORON**! I **TOLD** YOU TO CUT MY ARM OFF-
HEH... BYE BYE, TONY.
I'M SORRY, GOU.

I COULDN'T BRING MYSELF TO DISMEMBER MY FRIEND.

CHOMP

KABOOOOOM
WHAT?!

OPEN FIRE!
BR-LDDABR-LDDA
BOOM BOOM
BOOM BOOM

BANG
BANG
BRUDDABRUDDA
BOOM
BOOM
BRUDDABRUDDA
BRUDDABRUDDA
AAAH!
GOVERNMENT TROOPS!
GOU!
HIT THE DECK, TONY!
BOOM BOOM
?!
BOOM

BANG
BANG
POP POP
BANG
BANG
BANG
BANG

TROMP
TROMP
TROMP

KEEP SHOOTING UNTIL YOU ALL KILL EACH OTHER!
DIE, DIE, DIE!
BASTARDS!

IT CAN'T BE...
U-UNBELIEVABLE...
YES, SIR.
THEN... YOU'RE REALLY GOU IWAKURA?
IT'S HIM.
NO, LOOK AT THE EYES.
PASSPORT
JPN
IWAKURA
JAPAN
00 JUL 0000
00 JUL 0013

邦人一家殺害
WHEN THE NEWS BROKE THAT A JAPANESE STOCK BROKER AND HIS ENTIRE FAMILY HAD BEEN MURDERED, IT BLEW UP INTO A HUGE STORY BOTH HERE AND BACK IN YOUR HOME COUNTRY.
GOU, ARE YOU FAMOUS OR SOMETHING?
SOMEHOW, I DON'T THINK THAT'S IT.
NO, NO. THIS IS INCREDIBLE.
岩倉さん一家殺害事件
News
I'M FLABBERGASTED. TO THINK THAT HIS SON NOT ONLY SURVIVED, BUT SHOWED UP OUT OF THE BLUE LIKE THIS.
WOW...
HUH? WHO'S HE?!
CAN HE COME WITH ME?
ANYWAY, COME INSIDE.

HE'S...
HE'S A FRIEND OF MINE.
ドサッ
FLOP

THANK GOD!
OH, THANK GOD...

WE'RE SAFE NOW, RIGHT?

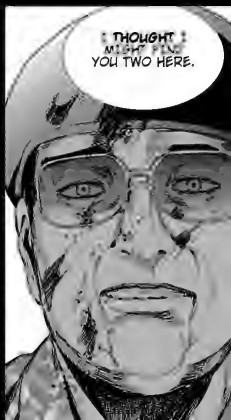
YES. WE'RE SAFE.

WE SURVIVED...
WE ESCAPED.

I'M SO GLAD WE GOT TO BE FRIENDS, GOU.
HEY, SO...
NINJAS...?
WHEN WE GET TO JAPAN, I WANNA SEE SOME NINJAS.
YOU MEAN IT?!
ALL RIGHT. IF ANY OF MY FRIENDS BACK IN JAPAN ENDED UP BECOMING NINJAS, I'LL BE SURE TO INTRODUCE YOU.
HEY, WHAT'RE YOU LAUGHING ABOUT?

BANG
BANG
BANG
GUNSHOTS?!
URK-
OW!
TONY, GET DOWN!
GASP!
WINCE

STEP


I THOUGHT I MIGHT FIND YOU TWO HERE.

NOT ONCE, BUT TWICE MY OWN DOG BITES ME.
YOU TURNED OUT TO BE A REAL MONGREL.

BANG
AAAAAAH!
ALL...
ALL BECAUSE...

I CREATED YOU!
BANG
ALL BECAUSE YOU LET THIS MISERABLE, COWARDLY STRAY CHANGE YOU!
PATHETIC!
BANG
MOLDED YOU INTO THE ULTIMATE SOLDIER!
IF I HADN'T PICKED UP THAT DAMNED STRAY, YOU WOULD'VE BEEN PERFECT!
BANG
YOU DISGUST ME GOU!
GRRR-RAAAAAA AAHHHH

* SHOURAN JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER

* ROOM 4Y

TONY?!
H-
HELLO...
F...
FRIENDS...
WE'RE
FRIENDS, AREN'T WE?

I SWEAR...
KACHI
KACHI

A VERY...
DEAR
FRIEND...

SLIDE
SLIDE

DASH!

THIS TIME,
I WILL SAVE MY FRIEND